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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Responsive to the non-final Office Action mailed July 15, 2005, please consider the following amendments and remarks. Filed herewith is a Petition and fee for a three month extension of time, thereby extending the deadline for response from October 15, 2005, to January 15, 2006. Because January 15, 2005 is a Saturday and the Monday after that is a Federal holiday, the deadline for response is extended to January 17, 2006. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the claims are included in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page

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